

U.S. HARDWOOD PRODUCT EXPORTS, HARDWOOD EXPORTS TO KOREA, HARDWOOD  
RESOURCE SITUATION, AND THE FUTURE OF U.S. EXPORTS TO KOREA

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## INTRODUCTION

This seminar is intended to give an overview of U.S. hardwood exports, hardwood exports to Korea, the hardwood resource situation, and the future of U.S. hardwood exports to Korea. This document was assembled for presentation purposes and will be given to participants after the workshop. The information in this document may be published at a later date ,

## PRESENTATION OUTLINE

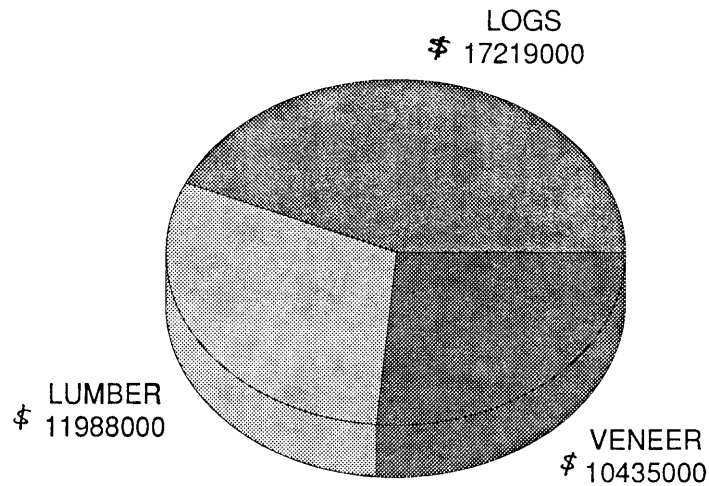
(1) We will first look at some basic information about total US hardwood exports and products.

(2) We will next look at some information on hardwood exports to Korea from the US.

(3) We will then see and discuss some information about US hardwood resources or the resource situation,

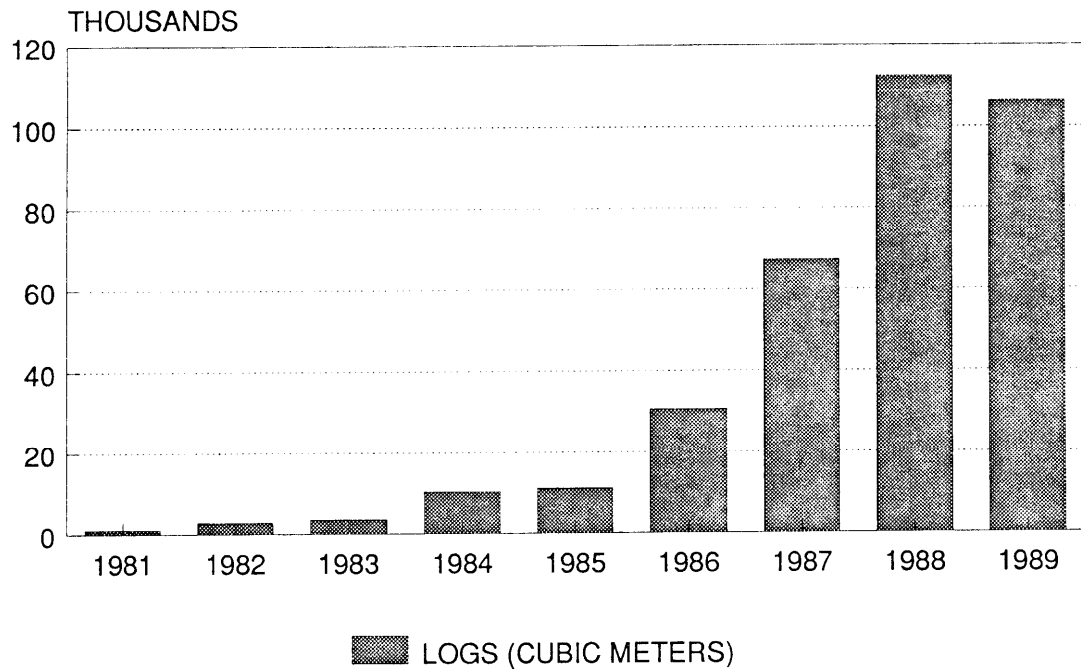
(4) In the last section we will discuss the future and how we can best work together to supply your needs with our resource base.

## 1989 U.S. HARDWOOD EXPORTS TO KOREA



Hardwood export to Japan in 1988 on a dollar basis were 30% lumber, 43% logs, and 26% veneer products. As I previously mentioned, some dimension stock is mixed into the lumber statistics. Around \$40,000,000 of hardwood products were exported to Korea in 1989.

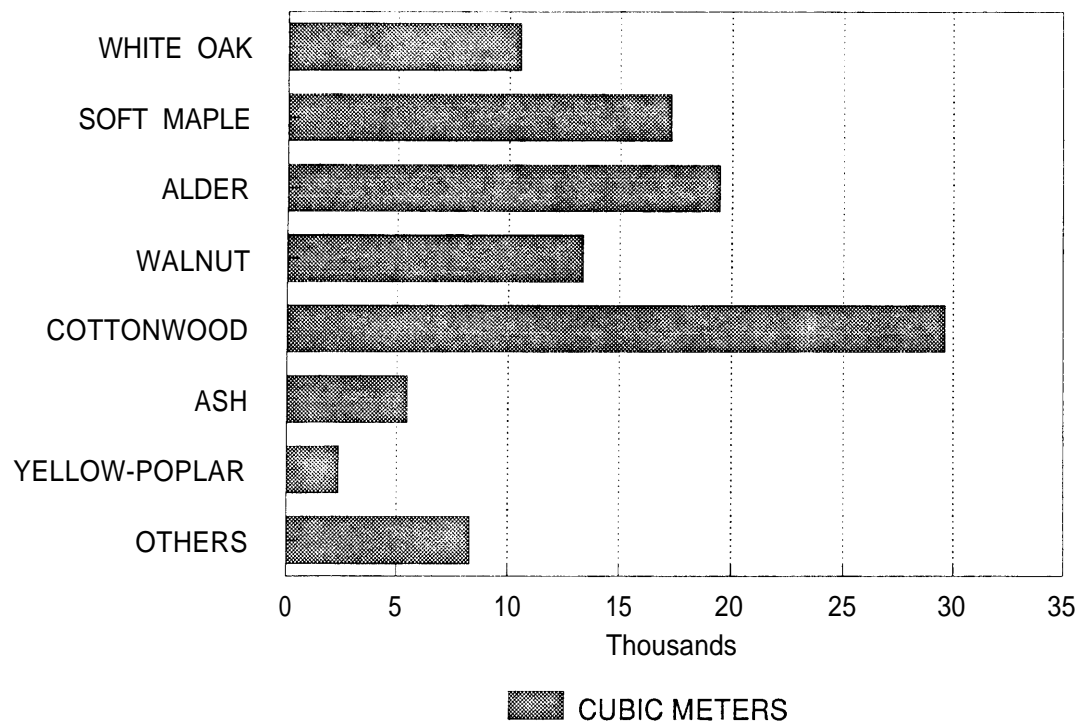
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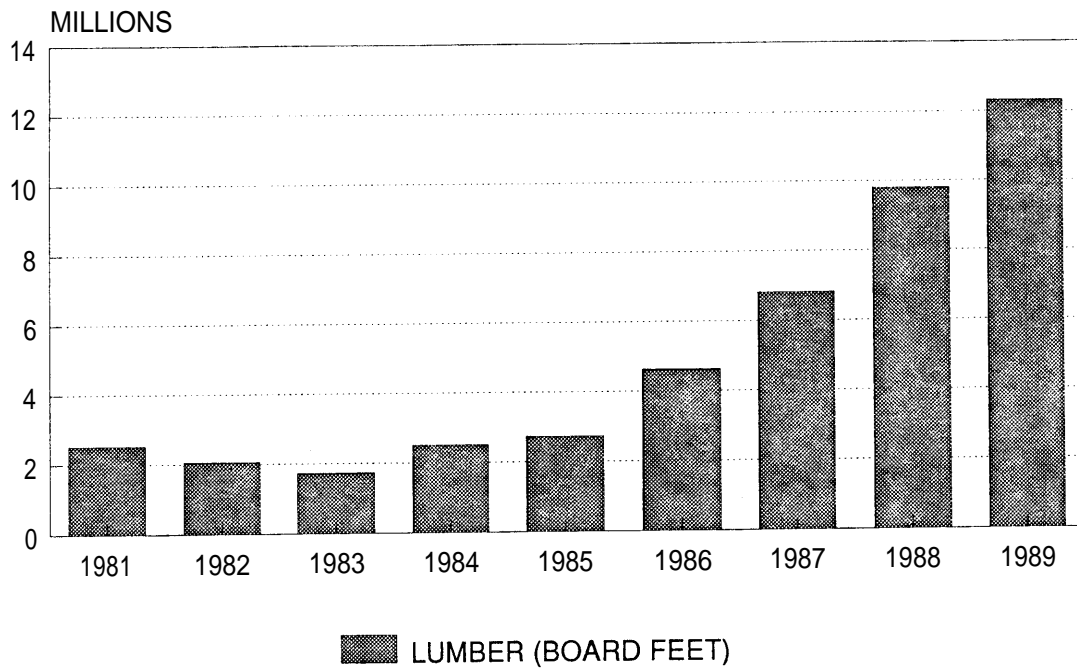
\* Your demands of our hardwood logs have been increasing.

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Log exports to Korea in 1989 were mostly cottonwood, alder, walnut soft maple, white oak, ash and yellow poplar.

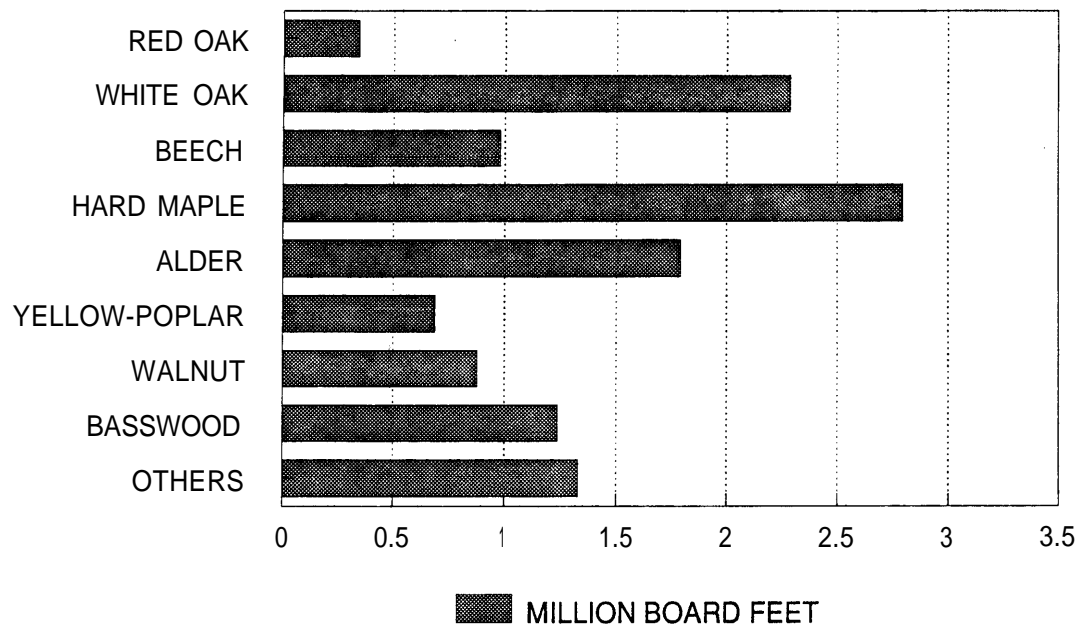
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This chart shows the trends in US hardwood lumber exports to Korea since 1981.

- \* Your demands of our hardwood lumber have been increasing.
- \* Lumber, logs, and veneer are the most important products.
- \* Some dimension or furniture parts are mixed into the statistics for lumber.

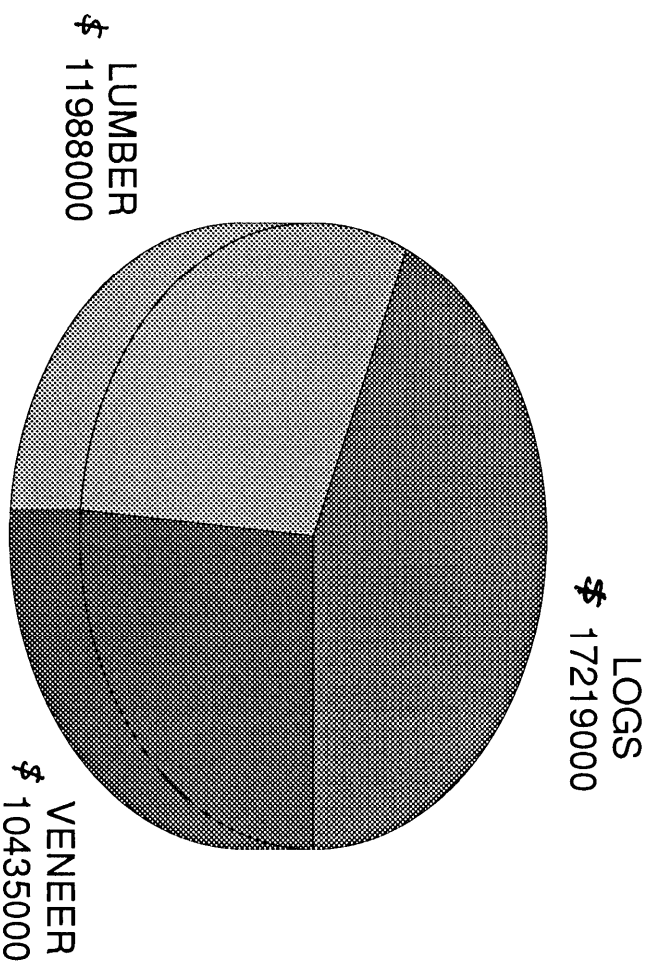
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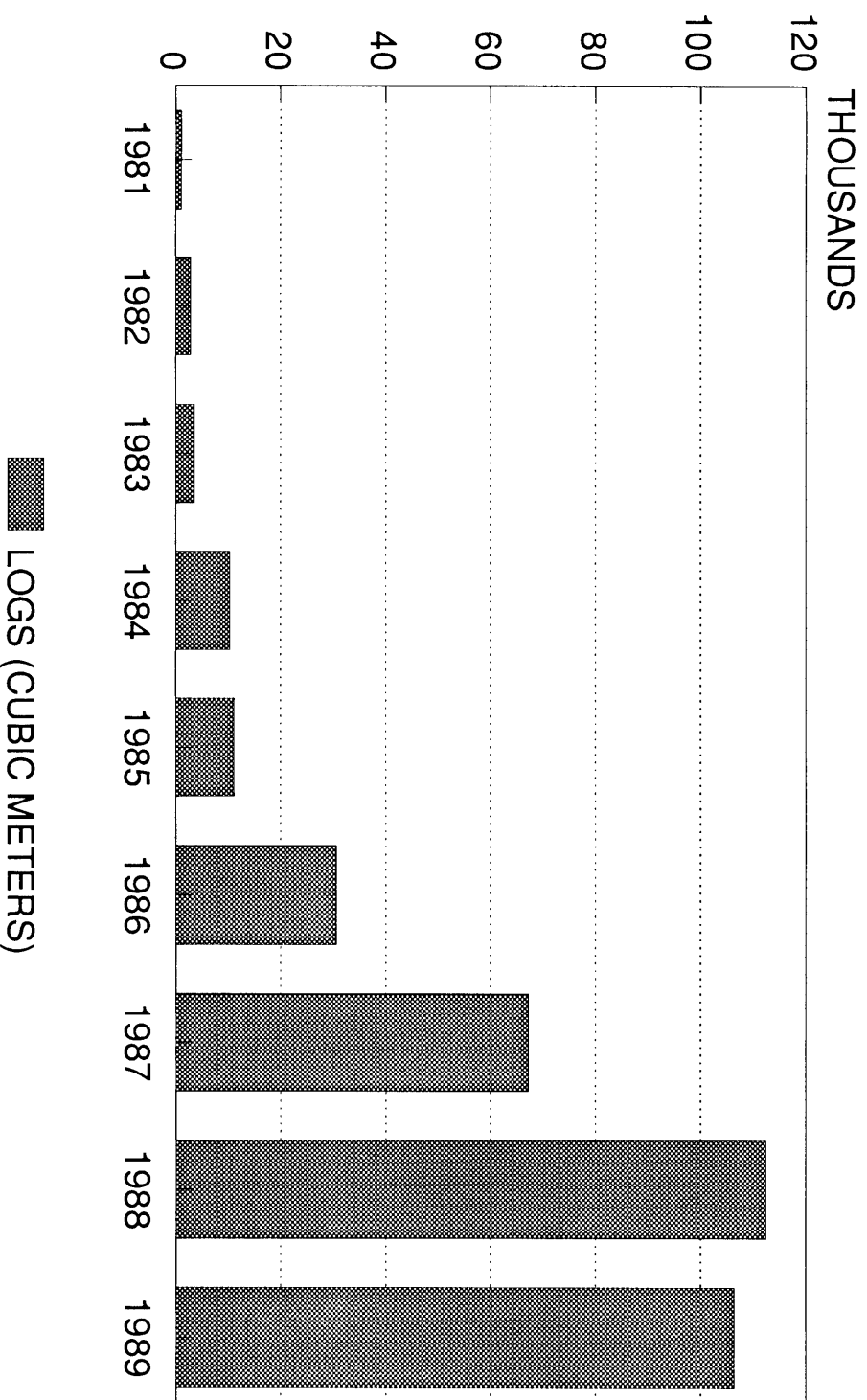
The main species in 1989 were hard maple, white oak, alder, basswood, beech, walnut, yellow-poplar, and red oak. This is a good variety of U.S. hardwoods.

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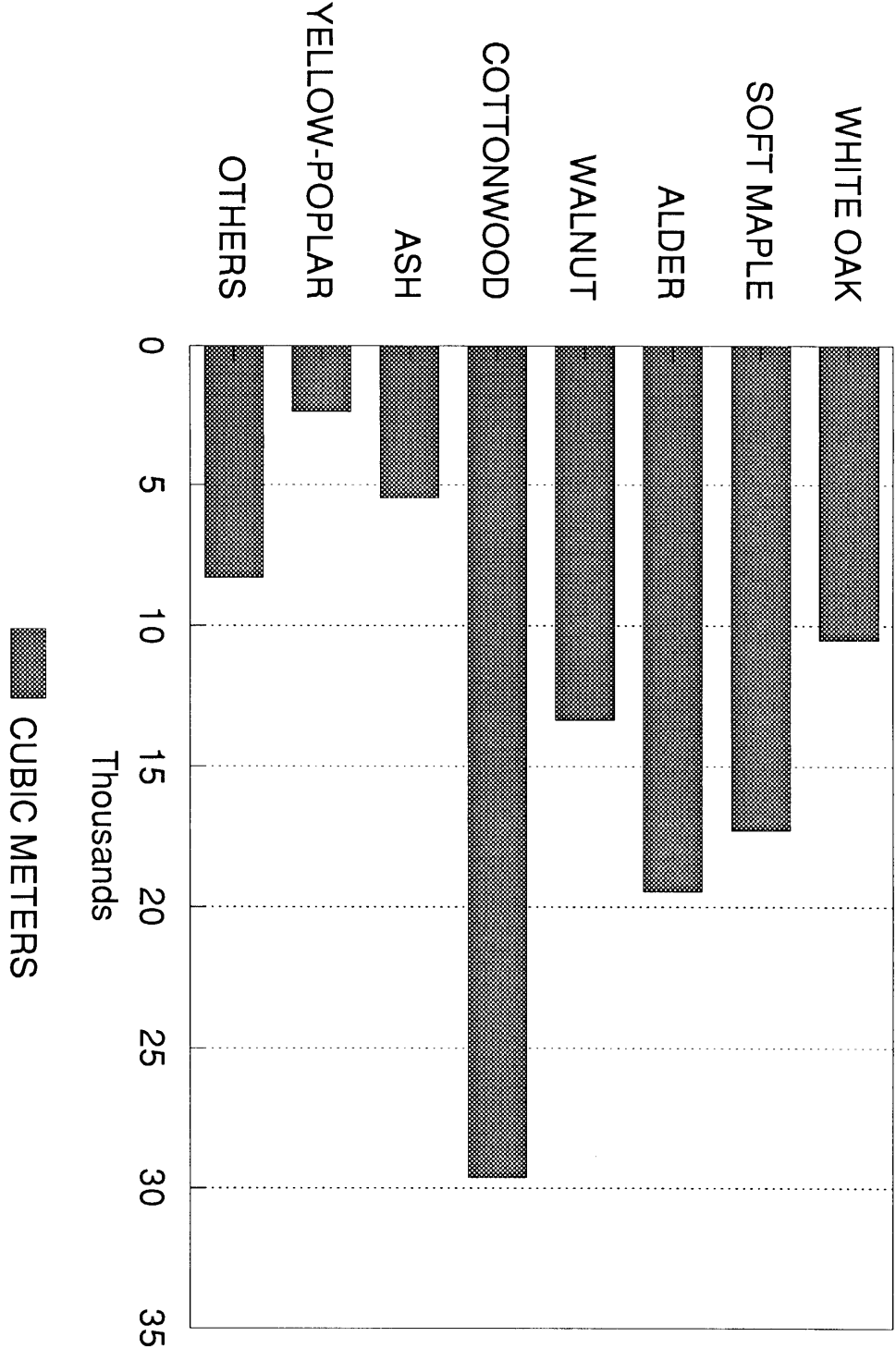




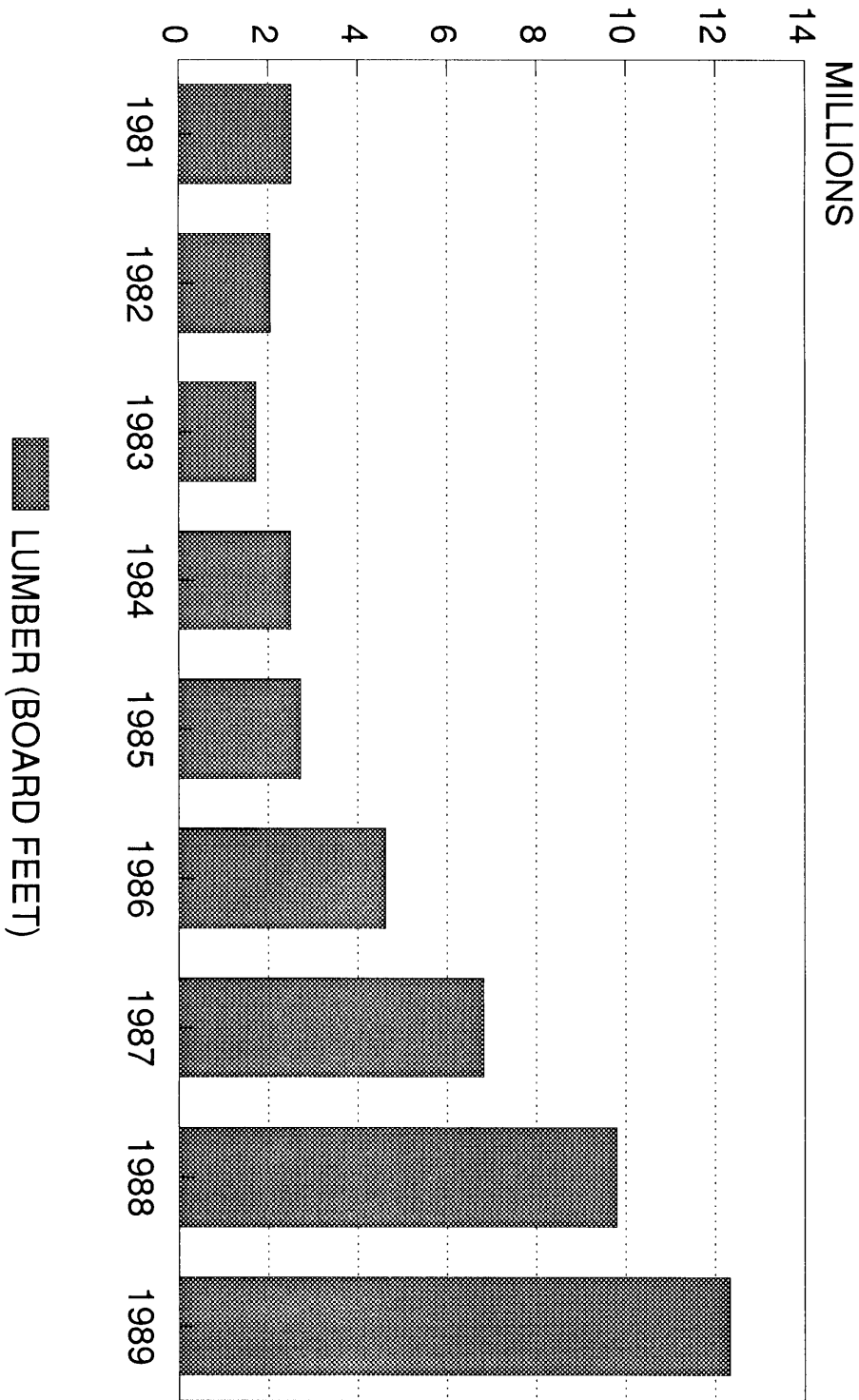
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